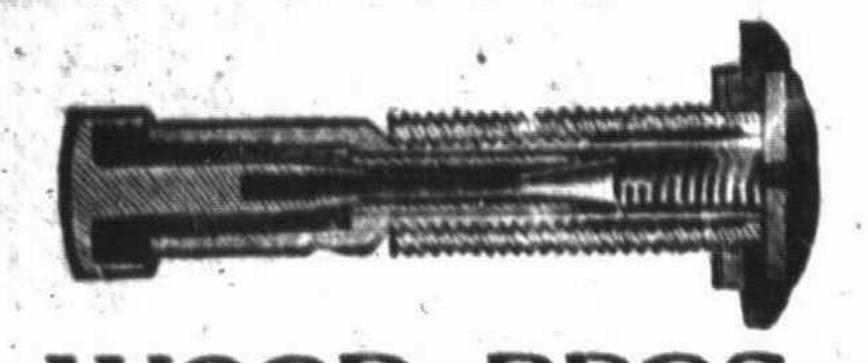
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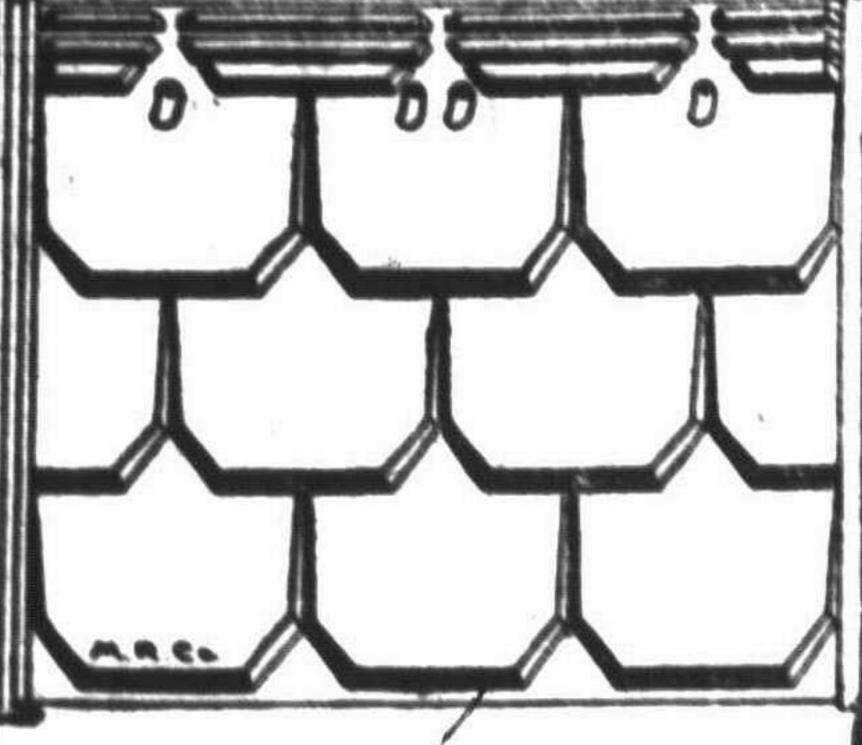
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POST OFFICE MATTERS. The Montreal Witness has this to say of the poet office business :

"There is comething inconcequentie! about the postmaster general's reasons as given in putiament for postponing the for a claimant. appointment of a postmaster for Montreal, namely, that the post office here is being conducted in an antiquated manue, and etreet, for a few days. needs to be reformed by department experts before the man who is to manage it can even be selected.

"One would think that the right way to deal with a decadent or out of /date meticution would be to find a modern and cap able expert to manage it. If the interfer ence of superior officers was temporarily could render would be in initating the new | manville. man in his duttes and confirming him in his authority.

"The Kingston penitentiary, which sceme to have needed overhauling more than the Montreal post office does, is being put on its new footing ostoheibly, and we presume really by ice new superintendent.

"The difficulty would seem to be that the government has no thought of appointing a post office expect to the vacant posttion, bu) some politician who till to day knows nothing about the inside of a post office, and the best that can be hoped for such a one is that he will not do any barm To this end everything must be made right as passible before he takes possession of his office."

The Witness puts it mildly and clearly If the Montreal office be in need of over bauling it should be done under the direc tion of the new postmaster, and then he tice for 1899 has been received, and shoot- very beneficial to the colony. The tional agreement in regul can be held to account for it. If he has nothing to do with it, has not been consulted in reference to it, and does not ap prove of it, how can he be expected to give the charges the desired effect.

The common idea of the public, how ever, is decidedly wrong. In is that any thing goes, that anything will suit, that the man who cannot succeed in mechanics, ston. The uniform will be red facings, or in law, or in malicine, will develop into | same as the regiment. a first-class official. That is the Cana dian idea. The European, and especially the German, theory is that the best men in private life, in the trades and professions are the best men in public life, and appointments are made upon the peculiar which they are assigned.

The Whig has read the history of the a geniue, and all his aids, in the supervi | England. sion of the work, are sharers in his master quarrelling while on duty, no rebellion against orders, no evidence of insubordina tion. Every one knows his duty, and does eagerly, expertly, and without a word There is a perfect army of officials, but at Long Island park. they are drilled to perfection.

And what Germany has Canada can have, the same theory of post office government being recogn'z id. The first considera tion is worth; the second, fitness or expacing; the third, willinguese to serve, or obedience to discipline. These cannot be had, of course, without smooth direction from a head who has a knowledge of the ing various parts and asking routine and most exacting in the carrying of it out.

about for the sake of experience, for what others may take from them. What i good in one branch of the public service ought to be good in another, and to e ferce of this condition was never more apparent than at the present time.

## WEDNESDAY WORDS.

So the military canteen is not a drinking resort, but a supply station, containing pipe-clay, candies, and other things \$160,000. Half of it goes to the widow | And it goes to show that some institutions and the other half to McDonald's heirs. | have been awfully maligned. All of which | by simply being prompt." McDranki's only beir was a brother, the comes of giving them a had name.

> changes in stamps are a godsend to the tors are becoming an awful unisance.

if it is to go to the men who can spend the

ing with alcohol on a healthy Swede, and he has reached the conclusion that it is a genuine food -taken in small or moderate quantities. But the tippler is not after "hoel tape," and what may be to the healthy Swede a food, is to the average drinker a poison.

The Toronto World had two significant Births, Marriages or Deaths, one insertion, arbicles in its issue of Tuesday. In one it advocated that the premier's salary should be made \$15,000 a year, and in the other Reading Notices, 15c per line; reduced rate when a display advertisement accompanies, or on contracts for over 500 lines. Minimum bution bill if it did not want to be called a Contracts for a specified space are made for partizin body. And no one will accuse long terms for mercantile announcements, but notices of help wanted, for sale, to-let, partner. | the world of an undue sympathy with the

J. R. Dongall, of the Montreal Witness, has been made the president of the Dominion Alliance. He is deserving of all the, bonors shat go with the position. He is All charges for advertisements and subscripcertainly the most vigorous temperance worker in Canada; and defeat does rot discourage him. It all members of the Alliance were like him it would be some thing for parliament to recken with.

## INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Our Reporters on Their Rounds. The Stanley house will be remodelled

incide during the fall. Mrs. Edward Adams, Ottawa, is visiting amongst relatives bere. Max Stopk, Queen street, is in New

York on a business trip. R W. Anglin, Dutton, Oat., is spending a few days in the city. L. Mendell, Queen street, left to-day to visit felatives in New York city.

Misses Olive and Zalla Hill are visiting their aund, Mrs. J. M. Boyd, University A key was picked up on Wellington street this morning and left at this office

Mrs. Block, Albany, N.Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Oberndorffer, Queen

The road in front of the general hospital is now "eprayed" by the city, and the hos pital officials are grateful.

The reduction in ocean first cabin rates, which took place on 16ch instant, is from 81 to 20 per cent. Apply to Gildersleeve. Mrs. W. C. T. Jenkins and Masters Horace and Stewart, Kingston, have been necessary, surely the best service such visitiog her father, James Morris, Bow-

cow the police found roaming the etreets | vantage of his trip through Canada | point situated in longit yesterday and locked up in the City hotel and the United States to glean a lit- grees east from Greenwi

The case of Gallagher ve. Gallagher before judge Price yesterday afternoon was diemissed, the costs to be added to the There was a meeting of the labor union

last night to consider holding a picnic on

labor day. The achemo is progressing, and another meeting will be held later. The congregation of Bank street Presbyterian church, Obtawa, run an excursion to Kingston to morrow, the steamer from Prescott reaching here about two o'clock.

## 47TH BATTALION NOTES.

The Regiment Will Go Into the Fort in Tuto or Not at All

Ammunition for the annual target pracing will begin at ouce at the company beadquarters.

The Harrowsmith company will have a shooting match at Verona during the last week in July. Lieut. Day, of Harrowsmith company,

saved a man from drowning last week. There are good prospects of a cadet corps being formed of tour companies or more Napance, Newburgh, Sydenham and King-

Already eight officers and two seraeants have been granted permission to attend the Royal school of infantry, Toronto, this autumn and winter.

The commanding officer is wrestling with his "confidential' report, to headquaitere this week, on the state of the battahon, the fitness of each and all officers for somes of the individuals for the offices to promotion and a lot of intricate matters that outsiders know nothing about

Surgeone Curus and Kilborn have vol unteered for the military army medical Berlin post office, and of its magnificent staff service. They are huetlers! Buth equipment. The head of this post office is | ere getting their uniforms and outlits from

It has been decided that if room can be found at Fort Hanry for the whole batspirit. There is no loud talking there, no talion at once, the militia department will shouting across the rocm, no jarring and be asked again to allow winter drill on lines sımdar to last winter, except that all the staff officers and staff sergeants and

band be drilled. Culor Sergt. Maybee, of the Napance Tigers, is drilling the church boys' brigade

On Monday quarter-master H. Hunter wheeled from Lindeay to Kingston, 142 miles, making very good time.

## ne trompt.

The Presbyterian. While a large and expensive buildng was in course of erection in one of the fashionable parts of the city a plant-looking individual migh have been seen almost daily inspect progress of the work.

Military men are cometimes changed he was, and appeared almost incre- the balance letween the political dulous when told that the unassuming person was none other than the fuses to rulify it, the motive for its they may take from others, and for what wealthy owner, who had once been refusal must necessarily be a partiin a very, very poor boy. From the time he looked upon him with in- | senate is being accused of obstructcreasing interest, and sought an m- | ing legislation through partiran came in a few days, and the pour. illiterate laborer summoned courage reasons for their accusations. to ask the wealthy proprietor to tell him how he, too, might become

Te prompt. was the instantancovs reply: 'te prompt, sir: and he continued. "With only lifty cents in my pocket, at my advanced age. would not be afraid to begin over again, assured that in a few years I could make even a greater fortune

The unlearned workman gazed at the speaker in wonder, but The purple stamp must go. That is the wise enough to profit by the advice. tributed to the attention to the advice. "Be prompt."

Misses Evolyn E Fraser, Nellio Kirkpurchase to "if it is put up at auction." patrick and Maggie Sissons, of this city, If office does not mean worth any more, have passed the recent normal echool ex

SANCTIFIED SISTERS.

They say that the best Texas is to be found at Belton,

town on the Santa Fe road, and it is kept by "seven sanctified sisters, the proprietors are popularly Several years ago a woman

dit place and her husband quarretled over the best way of expounding the scriptures to a Sunday school cits; and were so stubborn that they separated and were finally divorced. This family controversy was every time they taken up by the town, which was soon distinctly divided between the adherents of the husband and the adherents of the wife. The was a large crop of divorces, and seven husbandless women, including the original cause of the commotion, joined together and rented the town hotel. One of them did the cooking, and another was parlor maid, third made up the beds, and so they divided the work among them and ran the establishment upon the cooperative plan. They would not employ a man about the place, though the most of their patrons were men, of course. People say boundary, no matte that women travellers preferred to or south. stop elsewhere, and that would be a woman's way. One of the 'seven sented by the fact sanctified sisters" used to drive a big carryall down to the railway station three or four times a day to civilization has adve meet the trains, but she let the re- on some of these oal gular transfer company handle the of waters for the

The hotel prospered from the be- are therefore adjusted ginning, and there was no reason way to that of the why it should not, for everything world. But it has b was neut and homelike and the cook- for the inhabitants ing was the best in Texas, which is the sea to choose be not saying much, perhaps, but is a that prevail simulta good reason why it was appreciated, erica and Asia. The Every Sunday it was crowded. The drummers used to swarm there from all the northern central part of the state, and every passenger on Santa Fe trains was an advertising agent. The "sanctified sisters" made money, as they deserved to they enlarged their establishment and started his laundry in connection with it where the mers left their soiled clothes to be done up while they were out during Then the "sisters" bought a hotel at Waco, and started a lafindry there, with equal success, and now they are talking starting one in New York.

## Female suffrage in New Zealand.

Toronto Globe. A. T. Baker, of Wellington, New west longitude southw Zealand, is on his way to visit rela- tude sixty-nve degrees J. Witter, Williamsville, claimed the tives in England, and is taking ad- in a southwesterly d tle information about these coun- tude fifty-five degrees n tries. He has been engaged in southward along that stock-raising in New Zealand for the eastward to longitude past twenty years and has teen very latitude fifteen degrees n successful. The climate and other west: thence southward conditions there are especially suit- lifteen degrees south: ed for that class of farming, and the ward to longitude 156 de herds are able to run out all win- thence southward to lat ter. Mr. Baker has just sold out tv-five degrees south: th his interests there at a good figure. | nally to a point in longit and is about to try his fortune in grees and latitude six another part of the world. When south, and thence to the his visit to England is over he will The object of this rather go to the Argentine Republic and course of the date line i will probably settle there. In con- to prevent the inconvenied versation last evening Mr. Baker ing different days of the v

"Woman sufferage has been a great | The line is determined by success in New Zealand. It has been on the various islands in force for a number of years, and nents between which it be all classes agree that it has been far as I know, there is t women there are an intelligent lot.
and they take a deep interest in the social and political welfare of the readily understand most of the ecceptivities here indicated. Obviously Class rule is impossible under the the main system of islands. ernment

## The Menate Should Ratify It

erente World.

Conservative politicians are hoping that the senate will throw out the redistribution bill, which has passed the commons and now goes up to the upper chamber for ratification. The constructive majority in the settate would make a mistake if thus fulfilled the hopes of its friends

We believe that this Fill was unnecessary in the public interest that it is a purely partizan mensure, designed to strengthen the chances of the liberal party in the next elections, and that it is contrary to the spirit if not the letter of the R.N. I. act. However, it deals with a matter affecting the house of commons alone, and since the house of commons saw fit to pass the measure it would seem too much like partizan interference on the part of the conservative majority in the senate to prevent the measure from becoming law. Moreover, although tions, as it much interested in the the bill was not necessary in the public interest, it does no injury to One of the laborers inquired who any public interest; it merely affects parties. It therefore, the senate rezan motive. At this time, when the portunity to speak with him. This | motives, it should be careful not to give its critics and enemics good

## After Queen's l'uents.

Bisley, Eng., July 19.—The Canadians figure in several of the competitions as prize winners. Pte. J. H. Simpson did splendidly in the Alex-Jandra, winning £10. Capt. A. Wilson also got a slice of the money, gathering in £5.

Pte. A. R. Fleming, Lieut. J. W. Sergt.-Major Huggirs. Gilchrist, Lieut. R. A. Robertson, Simpson took prizes in

and Burt events. Sergt.-Majer Huggins, Capt. R. Rennie, Capt. A Wilson in the former Sergt. I., T. Bertrom, Lieut. H. C. Gilchrist, Sergt.-Major H. Simpson, Ptc. J. Wontherbee

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countered a prob been faced before. from Valparaiso they found that nese and East ahead of the Ame eastward they was a day behind to correct the scheme of dating old days, they at all. Thus, by the custom of back a day when rection, and setting going the other w the 180th meridial vided the Pacific middle, that line convenient guide That is to say, vess States and English ing the ocean from or in coming th

change their reck

A new phase of the

hundreds of ishand well scattered over track of time, and tercourse which exi China, Japan, Bor Australia and New Ze ly led to the adoption day for Monday in wherens similar circun assimilated the usage that of California. ary which separates islands according to is not, as one might simple straight line m map of the Pacific meridian. It is curid In reply to a recent in point Prof. William Ha tor of "The Nautical Washington, D.C., define

national date line as for "Starting in the Arct runs along the 169th taneously in neighboring

are entitled to vote, and nearly all it is a wise thing to swing the time of them exercise that privilege. This boundary far enough to the eastadds greatly to the voting popula- | ward to pass down through Behring tion, and the women are always to strait, rather than have it slice off CYCLISTS be found on the side of steady pro- a bit from Russia by a strict adcress and development. They offset herence to the 180th meridian. the influence of the transient popula- Again, it is a sensible idea to carry tion, which often advocates meas- the line far enough to westward to ures inimical to good government. include the further Aleutians with new order of things, and the colony most remarkable freak of the date has profited greath he reason of the line is the eastward extension to the fresh strength. powerful influence exerted by the fe- 150th meridian of west longitude. male portion of the population. So | But this is easily explained. Local far they have had no women repre- custom associates the Sandwich. Sosenting districts in parliament. They ciety and Marquesas islands with the have women lawvers and women American calendar, while in the Tondoctors, however, and it is likely en and Samoan groups the usage that before long women will be uc- conforms to that of the Fiii islands tively directing the affairs of gov- and the greater part of Oceanica. This difference between the local standards and the practice of naval vessels makes it possible for a cruiser to touch at the Chatham islands rnit find the day of the week there different from That observed on shipboard. But the inconveniences sulting from such a state of things is slight compared with the advanages of commercial and social intercourse between the inhabitants of

## adjacent islands.

Have Faith in the Boy. Hove faith in the boy, not telieving That he is the worst of his kind In league with the army of satan. And only to evil inclined: But daily to guide and control him

Your wisdom and patience emplo-And daily, despite disappointment And sorrow, have faith in the boy? Ah! many a boy has been driven

Away from the home by the thought That no one believed in his growings Or dreamed of the battle be fough

So, if you would help him to con-The foes that are prone to annoy. Encourage him often with kindness,

Have faith in his good resolutions, Pelieve that at last he'll prevail, Though now he's forgetful and heed-

Though day after day he may fail. our doubt and suspicious misgiv-His hope and his courage destroy: So, if you'd secure a brave man-

Tis well to have faith in the boy.

The Speed Of The Future.

A writer in the Outlook discussing the future of electrical energy as applied to transportation, says: Today, without the slightest inconvenience, one may travel from sixty to ninety miles an hour, and even more, and it is probable that in a comparatively short time, by the introduction of electricity and the perfection of the steel highways over which our people will be transport ed, we shall be able to travel wit perfect ease and comfort at a speed of 125 to 150 miles an hour, and ultimately considerably higher. This the writer believes to be not a pro-

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